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M 5.7, 187km SSE of Gizo, Solomon Islands

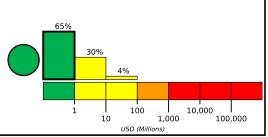
Origin Time: 2019-06-26 03:18:15 UTC (Wed 14:18:15 local) Location: 9.5360° S 157.7469° E Depth: 12.4 km

Estimated Fatalities 65% 10,000

1,000

and economic losses. There is a low likelihood of casualties and damage.

Green alert for shaking-related fatalities Estimated Economic Losses



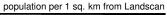
Estimated Population Exposed to Earthquake Shaking

100,000

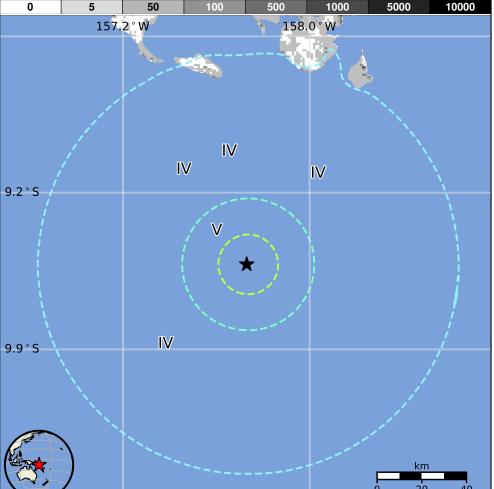
ESTIMATED POPULATION EXPOSURE (k=x1000)		_*	14k*	13k	0	0	0	0	0	0
ESTIMATED MODIFIED MERCALLI INTENSITY		I	11-111	IV	V	VI	VII	VIII	IX	X+
PERCEIVED SHAKING		Not felt	Weak	Light	Moderate	Strong	Very Strong	Severe	Violent	Extreme
POTENTIAL DAMAGE	Resistant Structures	None	None	None	V. Light	Light	Moderate	Mod./Heavy	Heavy	V. Heavy
	Vulnerable Structures	None	None	None	Light	Moderate	Mod./Heavy	Heavy	V. Heavy	V. Heavy

^{*}Estimated exposure only includes population within the map area.

Population Exposure



Overall, the population in this region resides in structures that are vulnerable to earthquake shaking, though resistant structures exist. The predominant vulnerable building types are mud wall and informal (metal, timber, GI etc.) construction.



Historical Earthquakes

Structures

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Date	Dist.	Mag.	Max	Shaking
(UTC)	(km)		MMI(#)	Deaths
1977-04-21	339	7.3	VII(42k)	0
2007-04-01	144	8.1	VIII(22k)	0
1977-04-20	318	7.1	IX(17k)	0

Recent earthquakes in this area have caused secondary hazards such as landslides that might have contributed to losses.

Selected City Exposure

from GeoNames.org

MMI City **Population**

bold cities appear on map.

(k = x1000)

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